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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/534,779
Applicant : Gustaf Doragrip et al.
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Examiner : Laura Michelle Lee

Title : MOTOR DRIVEN TOOL SUCH AS A POLE HEDGE
TRIMMER WITH A LOCKING MECHANISM
FOR THE TURNABLE CUTTING UNIT

Docket No. : 38205 Customer No. : 000116

RESPONSE AND ELECTION

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Sir:

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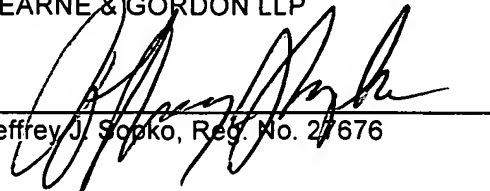
The Examiner has required Applicant to elect a single species for prosecution on the merits. Applicant hereby elects to proceed with claims 8-9 as disclosed in FIG 7. (Species B).

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Respectfully submitted,

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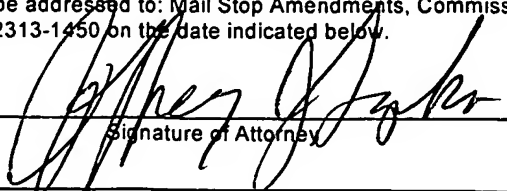

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